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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Costanzo GADINI, et al.

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Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

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For: ELECTRO-THERMAL ACTUATION DEVICE

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The undersigned respectfully requests to be advised of the status of the above-identified application. This application was filed August 7, 2003 and to date Applicant still has not received a first Office Action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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